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To: BC, HR, NI, and ST Center Directors
WO 330D, WO 570D Project Managers
Training Coordinators

From: Director, National Human Resources Management Center

Subject: Department of the Interior University Governmentwide Forums

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The Department of the Interior is pleased to announce the Governmentwide Forums, Denver 2003, designed to broaden government employee's knowledge and skills in professional and personal growth, leadership, and transition. Each event in this year's series will include refreshments, an interactive workshop with the author of the featured book, a copy of the book, and book signing. This memorandum is announcing the first event in the series.

February 11, 2003. Thomas F. Crum

The Magic of Conflict: Turning a Life of Work into a Work of Art:

We encounter conflict in all areas of our life - from the workplace, to our relationships at home, even while at play or on vacation. The usual response to conflict is to fight, flee or freeze. Thomas Crum introduces us to another alternative. A new perspective that will help us view conflict not as a contest to be won or lost, but an opportunity to learn about ourselves and to engage with others in a more creative, insightful way.

Location: Pines at Genesee, 633 Park Point Drive, Golden, CO

Time: 09:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. – Refreshments
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. - Speaker Forum
11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. - Book Signing

We have purchased 15 tickets for this event. This event is open to all BC, HR, NI, ST, WO 330D, and WO 570D government managers and employees. Please send nominations to your training coordinators by **close-of-business, February 6, 2003**. We will be accepting nomination from training coordinators until **noon, February 7, 2003**. Confirmations messages will be sent to participants by **close-of-business, February 7, 2003**, and tickets will be distributed to confirmed participants on **February 10, 2003**. If interest in participation exceeds the number of tickets we have already purchased, employees may purchase additional tickets for \$70 per ticket.

Posters and brochures advertising the Governmentwide Forums, Denver 2003, are distributed throughout the work areas. Contact Colleen Noble, Employee and Development Assistant or Teresa Milner, Employee and Development Officer, if you have questions.

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